

Uniting Church in Australia Barwon Heads & Ocean Grove

Palm Sunday

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We acknowledge the Traditional Owners, the Wadawurrung people, on whose land we meet, share and worship. We commit ourselves to working and praying for justice in this land.

Liturgy of the Palms

Palm crosses are given as we gather.

Welcome and Introduction

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord be with you, **and also with you.**

Blessing of the Palms

Palm Gospel Reading Luke 19:28-40

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Procession of the Palms

Let us praise Jesus our Messiah,
as did the crowds who welcomed him to Jerusalem.

Let us proceed in peace,

in the name of Christ, Amen.

Palm fronds are brought to the table.

Hymn Tis 333 “All glory, praise and honour”

Opening Prayers

Liturgy of the Passion

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Psalms 31:9-16

Philippians 2:5-11

Hymn TiS 348 “Ride on, ride on in majesty”

Passion Gospel Luke 22:14 - 23:56

Sermon “Palm and Passion”

Hymn TiS 341 (vv. 1-3, 5, 7)

“My song is love unknown”

The Greeting of Peace

Christ has reconciled us to God in one body by the cross.

We meet in his name and share his peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

All are invited to exchange a sign of peace.

Offering

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Sending

Hymn TiS 682

“When human voices cannot sing”

Blessing and Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord,

In the name of Christ. Amen.

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